Montgomery Area Community Wellness Coalition

Working Together to Improve Health and Access



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Montgomery Area Community Wellness Coalition Coordinated Health Network 2003

Board of Directors:

- Hospitals
- Area and county public health
- Community health center (primary care and a wellness/fitness center)
- Faith-based outreach and a free primary care clinic
- Mental health
- City/County indigent care fund
- Family Guidance Center of Alabama
- Community representation

Others:

- Envision 2020 Health/Wellness/Healthcare Delivery Task Force
- 211 Connects
- Montgomery Area Coalition for the Homeless (HMIS)
- Volunteer physicians
- State public health & other state agencies

MAIN Mission

■ To share information that bridges gaps, avoids duplication, coordinates services and reduces barriers to area health or social services and mainstream programs or resources for individuals in the Montgomery Area.

Strategies

- 211 Connects
- Wellness Case Management
- Shared Patient Information Network (SPIN)
 - Increase HL7 automated information transfer
 - Increase SPIN users
- CQI/Learning Model
- Sustainability

Strategic MIS Partner Data Futures, Inc. (PWHealth)

- Client Record
- Encounter Tracking
 - Clinical Encounters
 - Non-Clinical Encounters
- EligibilityDetermination

- Shared Client Record
- Mental Health Record
- Resource Directory
- Referral Tracking
- HMIS Record
- Laptop Ready
- EDI

MAIN Goals

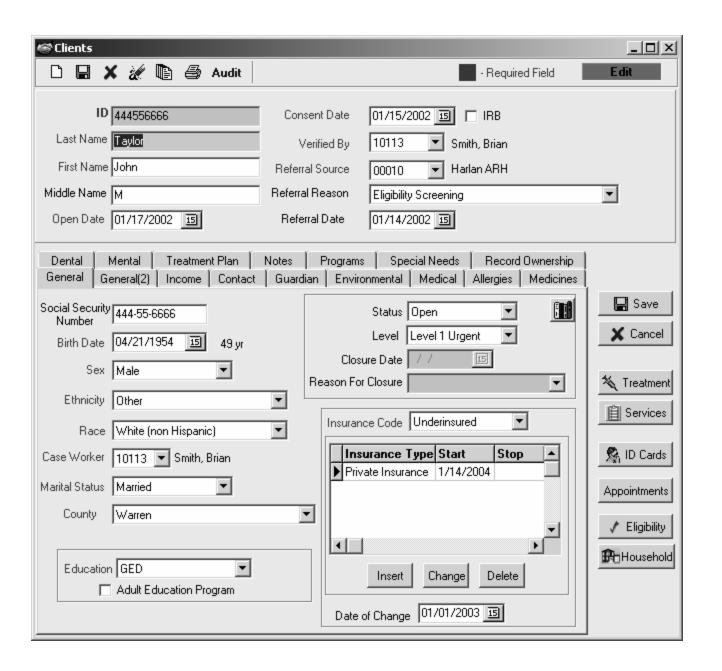
- Single access point for eligibility
- Increase coordination & target limited resources
- Meet multiple client needs
 - self management
 - self-sufficiency
- Improve client and provider satisfaction
- Strengthen safety net
- Facilitate collaboration & achieve common goals

MAIN Technology

- Network
 - SPIN users
 - HMIS users
 - Other users
- Security
 - SPIN-1 database
 - HMIS-8 databases
- **■** HL7
 - automated information transfer

Inputs Captured

- Initial Intakes
- Encounter Tracking
- **■** Care Coordination
- HL-7 imports



Outcomes Produced

- Improved health services use
- Improved community resources use
- Increased health system efficiency
- Improved coordination and access
- Improved understanding of target population needs

Montgomery Area Community Wellness Coalition Impacts

- Improved health status
 - Diabetes, Hypertension, Heart Disease, Asthma, Mental Health
- Increased access
 - Primary care
 - Medical home
- Cost-savings
 - Reduce inappropriate ED use & high costs
 - Reduce duplication

Lessons Learned

Early

- Stakeholder perceptions and involvement
- Small organizational coalition model or committee
- Know what "you" want (end-goal in mind)

Midcourse Corrections

- Stakeholder perceptions and involvement
- Supply and demand-quality and quantity
- Know what "you" want (changes over time)

Sustainability

- Know what "you" want (strategic planning)
- Stakeholder perceptions and involvement
- Supply and demand-quality and quantity

Summation

- "Begin with the end in sight"
- Stakeholder perception, involvement, and commitment
- Capable MIS partnership
- Viable Business Plan
- The 3 R's

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